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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the pending Office Action, this submission merely provides—as requested by the Examiner—a hard copy of that previously (July 12, 2004) sent by facsimile. Please enter and consider the following amendments.